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From Hon. W. H. Jones, of West Dover, Vermont.

"I have been troubled from my boyhood with chronic or hereditary lung complaint. Some years since, early in the winter, I took cold, which as usual settled into a severe cough, which continued to increase as the season advanced, although I made use of all the cough remedies I had knowledge of. My family physician also prescribed for me, but I felt no relief. During all this time I was gradually running down, losing flesh and strength, until my friends as well as myself, became very much alarmed, thinking I should waste away in consumption. While in Boston, during the spring following, I was induced to try WISTAR'S BALSAM OF WILD CHERRY. After one day's trial I was sensible that it was relieving me; in ten days time my cough had entirely ceased, and I was soon restored to my health and strength. I have ever since kept the BALSAM in my house, and whenever any member of my family has a cough or cold, it is immediately resorted to. No family should be without it." Sold by all druggists.

A Gentle Hint.

In our style of climate, with its sudden changes of temperature—rain, wind and sunshine, often intermingled in a single day—it is no wonder that our children, friends and relatives are so frequently taken from us by neglected colds, half the deaths resulting directly from this cause. A bottle of Boschnee's German Syrup kept about your home for immediate use will prevent serious sickness, a large doctor's bill and, perhaps, death, by the use of three or four doses. For curing Consumption, Hemorrhages, Pneumonia, Severe Coughs, Croup, or any disease of the Throat or Lungs, its success is simply wonderful, as your druggist will tell you. German Syrup is now sold in every town and village on this continent. Sample bottles for trial 10 cents; regular size, 75 cents. *

The Machine was Worn Out.

Why? Not because it was not well built, but it was wrongly run. Thousands of men who have run down long before their three-score and ten years are accomplished, might have been renewed into sprightliness and vim if they had tried the well-known PERUVIAN SYRUP, which contains among its compounds the Protoxide of Iron, so combined that it assimilates with the blood and invigorates the whole system. This syrup has proved efficacious in thousands of cases, and will do everybody good who uses it. All druggists keep it. *

WARRANTED FOR EVER.—The manufacturer of the Raymond Sewing Machines now issues a certificate of warranty to all purchasers of sewing machines of his manufacture. The "Raymond" has been for ten years in constant use by the British Columbia public. They give unqualified satisfaction; they do everything; they do it well. Every new improvement is attached to the "Raymond." Its popularity and its sales increase. Call and see the "guarantee" which is furnished with each "Raymond" Sewing Machine. A new supply of these unequalled machines recently received. A. B. Gray & Co., sole agents for British Columbia.

N. B.—Attachments for all kinds of sewing machines on hand, including new descriptions of hemmers, tuckers, frillers, etc. *

Blank Book Manufactory and Book Bindery.

Paper ruled to any pattern. Tickets, Receipts, etc., numbered and perforated. Charts and maps mounted. The best classes of modern machinery employed. R. T. WILLIAMS, Government street, entrance through Messrs. Hibben & Co's store. *

PEACE PROCLAIMED.—After ten years of active warfare! I have been at war with my customers for ten long years, and I am now ready to DYE FOR THEM at reduced rates. Gents' clothes cleaned and repaired; faded curtains and clothing restored and made to appear as good as when new. Customers abroad will not have reason to grumble at prices if they send their articles to T. W. Pierre, tailor and dyer, Yates street, opp. Alhambra Hall. Castoff clothing taken in exchange for work. *

LOST, DESTROYED OR STOLEN.—All the school-books which come under the above caption during the past summer holidays can be easily replaced at the Publishers' prices at

* T. N. HIBBEN & Co.'s.

NOW IS THE TIME to get Pictures cheap. Call at once at the New Photograph Gallery. Children's Pictures taken in one second. Government street, near James Bay Bridge. *

THE LATEST.—The undersigned received by City of Panama, a choice lot of Ladies' Costumes, Children's Dresses, Summer Dress Goods, Trimmings, Lace Handkerchiefs, Ties, Sets, etc., etc.—SHEARS & PARTRIDGE, London House. *

JUST RECEIVED per mail a fine lot of trout flies tied expressly for the Cowichan and Comox Rivers and the Province in general. Price, 75 and 50 cents per dozen. To be had at HENRY SHORT'S, Gunmaker, Fort Street. dw*

THE COMMONS.—Mr. Wm. Dalby will be a candidate for the Commons in Victoria District. *

NOTICES.

TAYLOR BROTHERS' MARAVILLA COCOA.—Taylor Brothers, London, having the exclusive supply of this unrivalled Cocoa, invite comparison with any other Cocoa for Purity—fine Aroma—Sanative Nutritive and Sustaining Power. One trial will establish it as a favorite Beverage for breakfast, luncheon, and a Soothing Refreshment after a late evening. For favorable opinions *vide* Standard, Morning Post, British Medical Journal, &c., &c.

TAYLOR BROTHERS' HOMŒOPATHIC COCOA.—This original preparation, which has attained such a world-wide reputation is manufactured by Taylor Brothers, under the ablest homœpathic advice, aided by the skill and experience of the inventors, and will be found to combine in an eminent degree the purity, fine aroma, and nutritous properties of the fresh nut.

TAYLOR BROTHERS' SOLUBLE CHOCOLATE, and COCOA and MILK are made in one minute without boiling.

TAYLOR BROTHERS' CHOCOLATE CREAMS, CHOCOLATE CREAM TABLETS, CHOCOLATE DROPS AND MARAVILLA CHOCOLATE are highly delicious and wholesome.—Packed in a superior and elegrant manner.

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"Berkeley, Sept. 1869.—Gentlemen: I feel it a duty I owe to you to express my gratitude for the great benefit I have derived by taking Norton's Camomile Pills. I applied to your agent, Mr. Bell, Berkeley, for the above named pills, for wind in the stomach, from which I suffered excruciating pain for a length of time, having tried nearly every remedy prescribed, but without deriving any benefit at all. After taking two bottles of your valuable pills I was quite restored to my usual state of health. Please give this publicity for the benefit of those who may thus be afflicted.—I am, Sir, your truly, HENRY ALLPASS.

—To the Proprietors of NORTON'S CAMOMILE PILLS.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.

To Capitalists and Contractors.

The Government of Canada will receive proposals for constructing and working a line of Railway extending from the Province of Ontario to the waters of the Pacific Ocean, the distance being about 2000 miles.

Memorandum of information for parties proposing to Tender will be forwarded on application as underneath. Engineers' Reports, maps of the country to be traversed, profiles of the surveyed line, specifications of preliminary works, copies of the Act of the Parliament of Canada under which it is proposed the Railway is to be constructed, descriptions of the natural features of the country and its agricultural and mineral resources, and other information, may be seen on application at this Department, or to the Engineer-in-Chief at the Canadian Government Offices, 31 Queen Victoria street, E. C., London.

Sealed Tenders, marked "Tenders for Pacific Railway," will be received, addressed to the undersigned, until the 1st day of December next.

F. BRAUN, Secretary,
Public Works Dept., Ottawa.
Ottawa, May 20, 1878. jy25dw

COMOX DISTRICT.

SEALED TENDERS FOR THE CASH PURCHASE of the preemption claim of 100 acres, late the property of Calvin Farr, deceased, will be received up to four o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, 3d July next, by the undersigned, from whom further particulars may be obtained.

CHAS. E. POOLEY,
Official Administrator.
Victoria, 3d June, 1878. je4dw

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

PRIVATE BILLS.

ALL APPLICATIONS FOR PRIVATE BILLS properly the subject of legislation by the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia, within the purview of the "British North American Act, 1867," whether for the erection of a Bridge, the making of a Railroad, Turnpike Road, or Telegraph Line; the construction or improvement of a Harbour, Canal, Lock, Dam or Slide, or other like work; the granting of a right of Ferry; the incorporation of any particular trade or calling, or of any Joint Stock Company; or otherwise for granting to any individual or individuals any exclusive or peculiar rights or privileges whatever, or for doing any matter or thing which in its operation would affect the rights or property of other parties, or relate to any particular class of the community; or for making any amendment of a like nature to any former Act—shall require a Notice, clearly and distinctly specifying the nature and object of the application to be published as follows:—

A notice inserted in the BRITISH COLUMBIA GAZETTE and in one newspaper published in the District affected, or if there be no newspaper published therein, then in a newspaper in the next nearest District in which a newspaper is published.

Such notice shall be continued in each case for a period of at least six weeks, during the interval of time between the close of the next preceding Session and the consideration of the Petition.

Before any petition, praying for leave to bring in a Private Bill for the erection of a Toll Bridge is presented to the House, the person or persons intending to petition for such a Bill shall, upon giving the notice prescribed by the preceding rule, also at the same time and in the same manner, give notice of the rates which they intend to ask, the extent of the privilege, the height of the arches, the interval between the abutments or piers for the passage of rafts and vessels, and mentioning also whether they intend to erect a drawbridge or not, and the dimensions of the same.

ELI HARRISON, Jr., Law Clerk.
House of Assembly, Victoria. my31

VICTORIA WATER WORKS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT ANY PERSON or persons allowing their Watertaps to remain open between the hours of 7 A. M. and 9 P. M. daily, thereby causing water from the Victoria Water Works to be wasted, will be prosecuted in pursuance of the provisions of the Victoria Water Works Act and Bylaw thereunder.

JOHN GASTINEAU,
jy26 Water Works Commissioner.

CASSIAR EXPRESS

WILL LEAVE FOR THE VARIOUS CREEKS in Cassiar by every Steamer for Fort Wrangel. First trip by the steamer California, Friday, April 5th, 1878.

Packages and Letters left with Wells, Fargo & Co. will be forwarded.

Treasure shipped to Victoria and San Francisco.
ap5 J. JOHNSTON

NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

TENDERS FOR THE ERECTION OF TWO BRICK Stores, together with a wooden building and other works, to be situated on the northwest corner of Yates street and Oriental Alley, will be received at my office up to Saturday the 10th day of August at noon.

Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

JNO. TEAGUE,
au4 Architect, Government street.

NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED AT MY OFFICE up to 4 o'clock p. m. of the 10th inst., for the erection and completion of a block of Brick Buildings on the corner of Fort and Broad streets, for J. Fell, Esq.

JNO. TEAGUE,
au4 Architect, Government street.

A CARD.

EDITOR COLONIST:—The article in the *Standard* on Monday morning stating that the cattle brought down for Jackson & Goodacre were not for the said firm but for Goodacre, Dooley and J. Parker, is not correct. The cattle were brought for Jackson, Goodacre & Co.; but through some misunderstanding were sold to Goodacre & Dooley and J. Parker.

jy30 J. F. ALLISON.

A CARD.

VICTORIA, July 27th, 1878.

EDITOR COLONIST:—In Saturday's issue of the *Standard* the name of T. Mann appears as one of the invited few to the caucus meeting held by DeCosmos and friends. I beg to state that Mann is not H. T. Mann, saddler, of Fort street. I would also like to know if anyone of the same name can be found to identify himself with that meeting?

jy28 H. T. MANN.

NOTICES.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE PARTnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, John Partridge Tunstall, Henry Coppinger Beeton and John Herbert Turner, lately carrying on business as Wholesale and Retail Dry Goods Merchants and General Commission Agents, at 8 Bow Church Yard, in the City of London, under the style of J. P. Tunstall & Company, and at Victoria, Vancouver Island, in the Colony of British Columbia, under the name, style or firm of Turner, Beeton & Tunstall, has been this day dissolved. The business will in future be carried on and all debts owing by or to the said copartnership firms respectively will be paid and received respectively by the said Henry Coppinger Beeton and John Herbert Turner.

Dated this 19th day of June, 1878.

(Signed) J. P. TUNSTALL,
(Signed) H. C. BEETON.

Witness to the signatures of the above named John Partridge Tunstall and Henry Coppinger Beeton—(Signed) CHAS. E. FREEMAN, 20 Gutterlane, London.

(Signed) J. H. TURNER.

Witness to the signature of the above named John Herbert Turner—(Signed) R. S. BYRN, Victoria, B. C.

REFERRING TO THE ABOVE NOTICE OF DISsolution of Partnership, we have to give notice that the business will in future be carried on at Wharf street, Victoria, under the style of Turner, Beeton & Co., and at 36 Finsbury Circus, London, under the style of H. C. Beeton & Co.

TURNER, BEETON & CO.
Wharf street.
Victoria, July 15, 1878. jy16

NOTICE.

In the matter of the Estate and Effects of George Cumberland Young, late of Yates street, Victoria, deceased, Intestate.

ALL PERSONS WHO ARE INDEBTED TO THE above Estate are requested to pay the amounts due forthwith; and all persons who have any claims against the above Estate are requested to send in their accounts on or before the 3d day of September, 1878, to

J. B MAYERAU, Administrator.
Or to E. Harrison, Jr., Barrister-at-Law, Victoria.

REWARD.

A REWARD OF TEN DOLLARS ($10) WILL BE paid, on conviction, to any person or persons giving information of certain parties killing game out of season, viz:—Deer, Grouse, Ducks, etc. The above is considered necessary, as a well known POT HUNTER is running Deer continually in defiance of the law.

SPORTSMAN.

N. B.—The above reward will be paid at this office.
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NOTICE.

In the Goods of Calvin Farr, late of Comox District, Deceased, Intestate.

DEBTORS TO THE ESTATE ARE REQUIRED to pay the amounts due by them forthwith to the undersigned; and creditors of the Estate are requested to send in their claims within one month.

CHAS. E. POOLEY,
Official Administrator.
Victoria, 3d June, 1878. je4dw

REWARD.

LOST ON SUNDAY LAST, ON THE WEST Saanich Road, a Bunch of Keys. Anyone bringing the same to this office will be suitably rewarded.
jy30 1w

TO CARPENTERS.

A CHEST OF CARPENTER'S TOOLS, NEARLY new and complete, will be sold very cheap.

JOHN GERRITSEN,
jy3dw Humboldt street.

NOTICE.

PURSUANT TO A DECREE OF THE SUPREME Court of British Columbia made in the cause of the Governor and Company of Adventurers of England trading into Hudson Bay against Ermenigildo Grancini, the creditors of Alfred Waddington, late of Ottawa, Civil Engineer, deceased, who died on or about the 26th day of February, 1872, are by their solicitors, on or before the 15th day of October next, to come in and prove their debts before Charles E. Pooley, Esquire, Registrar of the said Supreme Court, at his office, Supreme Court House, James Bay, Victoria, Vancouver Island, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded the benefit of the said decree.

The 22nd day of October next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, is appointed to hear and adjudicate upon the claims.

Dated 17th day of July, 1878.

DRAKE & JACKSON,
Bastion St., Victoria, Solicitors for the Plaintiff.
jy17dw3m

FISHERIES.

WE INVITE THE FISHERMEN OF BRITISH Columbia to ask their merchant or outfitter for samples and prices for our STANDARD COTTON SEINE NETTING AND NETS; 70 lbs cotton gives as large area of spread as 100 lbs net. Cotton is universally used in the United States, France and England in the fisheries, and it is more economical and durable than hemp.

AMERICAN NET AND TWINE CO.
my73mdw Boston.

NOTICE.

In the matter of the Estate and Effects of John Dunstan, late of Esquimalt, deceased, Intestate.

ALL PERSONS WHO ARE INDEBTED TO THE above Estate are required to pay the amounts due forthwith; and all persons who have any claims against the above Estate are required to send in their accounts on or before the 31st day of August, A. D. 1878, to

CHAS. E. POOLEY,
Official Administrator.
Dated Victoria, 31st May, 1878. jel 3mdw

NOTICE.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I WILL ONLY accept COIN FOR RENT, as well as for other Payments to be made to me.

de30 LD. LOWENBERG.

H. M. S. ROCKET.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST the Wardroom Mess of this ship are requested to forward them immediately to the caterer of the mess.

July 25th, 1878. jy26 3t

REMOVAL.

MR. A. BULER

HAS REMOVED TO THE NEW BRICK BUILDing at the corner of Fort and Douglas streets, where he will be happy to see his customers.

☞ CLOTHES CLEANED AND REPAIRED AT THE SHORTEST NOTICE. jy31 1m

LD. LOWENBERG, REAL ESTATE AGENT

GOVERNMENT ST., NEAR CORNER OF BROUGHTON,

WILL PAY PARTICULAR ATTENTION TO selling, purchasing and leasing property; in negotiating loans and transacting everything connected with Real Estate business.

Maps of all the different Districts on the Island may be seen at this office. Parties desirous of purchasing homesteads, or making investments, will find on his Bulletin Board Town Lots on nearly every street, Farming or Gardening Land in every District, some of which affords rare chance for investment.

Money on bond and mortgage and in sums to suit the demands.

Conveyances of every description done at reasonable rates. del

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OBTAINED FOR MEchanical devices, medical, or other compounds, ornamental designs, trade marks and labels. Caveats, Assignments, Interferences, Infringements, and all matters relating to Patents promptly attended to.

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THAT HAVE been rejected by the Patent Office may still, in most cases, be secured by us. Being opposite the Patent Office, we are able to make closer examinations, and secure Patents more promptly and with broader and better claims than those who are remote from Washington.

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SEND US A model or rough sketch and description of your device; we will make an examination, free of charge, and advise you as to its patentability. All correspondence strictly confidential. Prices as low as those of any reliable agency.

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Opposite Patent Office, Washington, D. C.
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NOTICES.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT THE FOLlowing Tenders for Naval Contracts have been accepted:—

Coals—Engelhardt & Co.
Flour—Stahlschmidt & Ward.
Fresh Beef, Mutton and Vegetables—Lawrence Goodacre.
Firewood—M. McCarthy.
Lumber—M. Muir.
Water—R. Brodrick.

JAMES H. INNES,
Naval and Victualling Storekeeper.
Esquimalt Yard, 1st August, 1878. au2 2t

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT TENDERS for Scraping and Painting about 4,000 Shell will be received until noon of THURSDAY the 8th instant.

Particulars can be obtained on personal application, between 9 a. m. and 5 p. m., Saturday afternoons excepted.

JAMES H. INNES,
Naval Storekeeper, &c.
Esquimalt Yard, 1st August, 1878. au2td

ROYAL CARIBOO HOSPITAL.

THE BOARD OF MANAGEMENT OF THE Royal Cariboo Hospital will receive applications for the position of Medical Officer to the Hospital up till 1st September next.

The party appointed will require to commence his duties on 1st October.

For further particulars apply to Messrs. Langley & Co., Victoria; the Government Agent at New Westminster; or to the undersigned, to whom applications should be addressed.

ANDREW B. RITCHIE,
Secretary.
Barkerville, 2nd July, 1878. jy14dw

TO BUILDERS.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED AT MY OFfice, where the plans and specifications may be seen from 9 a.m. till 4 p.m. daily, until 2 p.m. on Monday the 12th inst., for the erection of a framed and hard-finished Dwelling House on David street.

Lowest or any Tender not necessarily accepted.

THOS. TROUNCE, Architect.
Kane St., 2d August, 1878. au3

ROAD TAX DEFAULTERS.

THIS TAX IS NOW OVERDUE FOR THE CURrent Year, and must be paid forthwith at the office of W. K. BULL, by all citizens not assessed for Real Estate, or Summonses will be issued.

July 15th, 1878. jy16tf

IDA MARTIN, DECEASED.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE UNdersigned for the purchase of 151 Shares (unassessable) in the Eureka Silver Mining Company. Tenders to be in before 10th August next.

M. W. TYRWHITT DRAKE,
jy21 Administrator.

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1875 AND AMENDING ACTS.

John Tod, Jr., Plaintiff. James Newsham Peers, Defendant.

A WRIT OF ATTACHMENT HAS ISSUED IN this cause.

C. T. DUPONT, Official Assignee.
Victoria, June 25th, 1878. je26

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1875 AND AMENDING ACTS.

In the matter of John Chenhall, of Clinton, an Insolvent.

THE INSOLVENT HAS MADE AN ASSIGNMENT of his Estate to me.

C. T. DUPONT, Official Assignee.
Victoria, June 25th, 1878. je26

DENTISTRY.

DR. J. CALDER, Surgical and Mechanical Dentist

LATE OF SAN FRANCISCO,

—OFFICE:—

RIGHT HAND SIDE OF STAIR CASE, SPENCER'S PHOTOGRAPHIC GALLERY.
je14dw

THOROUGHBREDS.

T. W. CARTER'S BLACK HAWK MORGAN TROTTING STALLION "WELLINGTON"

WILL MAKE THE SEASON OF 1878 AT HILLside Farm, Victoria, commencing May 1st and ending August 1st.

TERMS, $15 FOR THE SEASON OR $20 TO ENSURE.

Proper care will be taken to prevent accidents; but no responsibilities assumed. Will also stand at the following places:—Harry Simpson's, South Saanich, 1st May; Harry Wain's, North Saanich, 2nd May; at Henderson's, Mount Newton Hotel, 3d May; at Hillside Farm, from the 4th to the 8th May; and at each of the above places every ninth day. Will be taken to any Farm upon application. Post office box 223.

PEDIGREE.

Wellington, 1412 lbs, is 17 hands high, 6 years old. Wellington was sired by Handley's Paul Jones, he by Paul Jones by J. G. McCracken's Black Hawk, by David Hill or Vermont Black Hawk. Paul Jones' dam by Candidate, he by Old Grog, dam by Comet the Fish or Eastman Horse of California, he by David Hill of Vermont Black Hawk, &c., &c.

T. W. CARTER,
Hilside Farm
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TROTTING STALLION "MC" RECORD 2:39.

WILL MAKE THE SEASON OF 1878 AT HIS owner's Farm

OAK BAY,

One mile from the City Limits of Victoria,

AT $25 FOR THE SEASON.

Should the Mare not prove with Foal she will be entitled to be served again next season without charge.

Mares will be cared for at $1 per week in good pasture. All accidents at owner's risk.

"Mc" was bred by the late John Duncan, of San Francisco, California, is dark bay in color, 15 1-2 hands high, weight 1,100 pounds.

PEDIGREE.

"Mc" was foaled on the 16th May, 1867, sired by Sawyer's Colt, he by Stockbridge Chief, he by Vermont Black Hawk, Stockbridge Chief's dam by Sir Charles, he by Durdock Messenger, he by Imported Messenger he by Membrino, his dam by Turf, grand dam by Regulus, he by Stirling, he by Fox. Dam of the Sawyer's Colt was San Jose, damsel by Easton's David Hill, he by Vermont Black hawk, her dam the dam of Dashaway, the celebrated two-mile horse. "Mc's" dam was by General Taylor, out of thorough mare imported to the State from Missouri by — Haskell, Esq. General Taylor by the famous Morse Horse, he by imported Norman (from France). Dam of Morse Horse by Ogden's Messenger, he by imported Messenger, his dam Katy Fisher by imported Highflier, grand dam, dam of Jersey Eclipse.—Copied from Wallace's Trotting Register.

J. S. BOWKER, Oak Bay.
P. O Box 230, Victoria, B. C. mh5dw

JUST ARRIVED & FOR SALE

ON MESSRS. ENGELHARDT & CO.'S WHARF,

A SPLENDID LOT OF

NO. 1 OATS AND BARLEY.

Apply on the Wharf. jy26 1w

J. FINLAYSON, FAMILY GROCER

TEA AND COFFEE DEALER,

FORT STREET.

BEST JAVA COFFEE FRESH ROASTED AND ground daily.

Goods delivered to any partof the city.

POLITICAL.

MR. A. C. ELLIOTT

WILL BE A CANDIDATE TO REPRESENT VICTORIA DISTRICT IN THE DOMINION HOUSE OF COMMONS AT THE ENSUING GENERAL ELECTION. jy7tf

MR. J. P. DAVIES

Will be a Candidate to represent Victoria District in the Dominion House of Commons at the coming Election.
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POLITICAL.

MR. BUNSTER WILL BE HAPPY TO MEET as many of the Electors of Vancouver District as can make it convenient to attend at the following places and times:—At Nanaimo Institute on Saturday, July 20th, at 7 p.m. At C. B. Brown's, Wellington, on Monday, July 22nd, at 7 p. m. At Beaumont's, Maple Bay, on Tuesday, July 23rd, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon. And at Askew's Landing, Chemainus, at 3 p. m. Also, at the Postoffice, South Cowichan, or Mr. J. Kinnear's store; at Burgoyne Bay, Vesuvius Bay and Sooke. Due notice of the time of meeting at the four last named places will be given to the Electors.
jy16dw

ELECTORS! RESERVE YOUR PLEDGES.

TO THE ELECTORS OF VANCOUVER DISTRICT.

GENTLEMEN:—HAVING BEEN CALLED UPON by a large number of merchants, farmers, workingmen and others to represent Vancouver District in the House of Commons at the ensuing general election, and believing that there never was a period in the history of our adopted country more critical than the present—when honest, industrious men, who constitute the bone and sinew of the commonwealth, should look after their rights—when commercial men who are in the channels of trade—enterprising men who develop the resources of the country—workingmen whose honest toil revolves the wheel of commerce and puts the whole machinery in motion—should give that attention and care to public interests which are justly expected of every true patriot and loyal citizen. And having, moreover, been intimately acquainted with the political interests of the Dominion in the Eastern Provinces, and having helped to place men in power who have been the workingman's friends and the friends of progress, such as the Hons. Sir J. A. Macdonald, Ontario; S. L. Tilley, N. B.; Dr. Tupper, N. S.; and J. C. Pope, P. E. I.; I shall, if elected by your suffrages, be found working shoulder to shoulder with such men for the country's weal.

I am led to this determination for the simple reason that the present Government have failed to act justly with British Columbia, after five years of unlimited power. They have given us no definite hope of the immediate construction of the Canadian Pacific Railway and no change of Tariff on account of our isolated and distant geographical position. I advocate therefore:

1. Immediate railway construction and the honorable fulfilment of what is known as the Carnarvon Terms.

2. The erection of a Drydock at once as being, like the Railway, not only a Provincial but also a national necessity.

3. The importation free of duty of all material required for the rigging and fitting of ships that cannot be procured in this Province.

4. A just and equitable adjustment of both Export and Import Dues from a reciprocal point of view, which would benefit largely the Commercial, Mining, Agricultural and Lumbering interests of the Districts as well as of the whole Province.

5. I would also strive to secure a new Postoffice for the thriving city of Nanaimo, and failing in that, some improvement at least upon the shameful neglect of its present postal facilities.

Other local and provincial wants which may call for legislative redress shall receive, if I am elected, my serious attention and warmest support.

I shall take an early opportunity of holding public meetings in the various sections of your wide and extensive district (of which due notice will be given) at which I shall, as also in private intercourse, fully explain the course I intend to pursue, and hope as the result of that to receive your generous support.

I have the honor to be, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
A. J. McLELLAN.
Nanaimo, June 14th, 1878. je30dw

DISTRICT CORRESPONDENCE.

EDITOR FREE PRESS:—I quite agree with the writer of the article which appeared in your issue on Wednesday last signed "Union and Progress," giving our late, and would-be next, representative in the House of Commons (I mean Bunster) a slight rub for leaving the city without giving an account of his stewardship for the five years he represented us. Yes, Mr. B. spent off and on about a week in town, and surely he could (if he wished) I think without interfering with his business or canvass spare a few hours, say even one, to address us. It's true it was generous, gentlemanly and policy on his part to defer his address and give up the Institute Hall on Saturday in favor of the Bazaar. It is also true the Institute was at his command on the Monday evening following, which would have, in my opinion, suited the purpose and the citizens equally as well. Nanaimo is the centre and the most important part of Vancouver District, and when he can make it convenient to address the different other parts of his constituency why, I ask, does he treat Nanaimo so coolly unless he is under the delusive impression that his right bower can mesmerise every voter to support only him? It's a huge mistake. Come, Bunster, let us hear one of your eloquent speeches, else you will hear again shortly from

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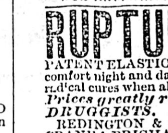

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THE CHINESE TAX BILL.

Every section of the Bill introduced by the Government and fraudlently entitled "An Act to provide for the better collection of Provincial taxes from Chinese," contains a sneer at the honest advocates of the imposition of a tax on Chinese. The intent of the Bill is not good, as claimed by the Government organ. It is not alone bad, but the measure has been framed with the express object of being killed at Ottawa. No one knows better than the leader of the Government that a measure which shifts the responsibility of paying the tax from Chinese to white shoulders will never pass muster at the Federal Capital. Let us look at the chief points of the Bill: 1st. A Chinese person is asked to pay the tax. 2d. If he cannot or do not comply his goods will be seized. 3d. If he have no goods of his own his employer's or neighbor's goods may be taken instead. 4th. If he hold a fraudulent certificate his employer (who may be as innocent of complicity in the fraud as a babe) is made responsible to the tune of $100. 6th. In case the Chinese person who has no license is not the fortunate possessor of goods and chattels of his own, and has neither employer nor friends who have any goods, he is to be set at work on the roads to the exclusion of white labor. And, 7th. The employer is made responsible for the payment of the tax on his servant, upon whose continuance in his employ from one hour to another he has no security.

Such, fairly and briefly stated, is the principle of this precious measure, which has been framed with no other object than to cast ridicule and contempt on a good cause—to make the legislature and those who have protested long and loudly against the immunity of the Chinese from taxation — laughing stocks throughout the Dominion. One is surprised to find the Attorney-General's name figuring at the head of this sorry attempt at wit at the expense of the white working classes of the Province, some of whom are known to be in a state of distress because the means of gaining a livelihood are withheld from them by the employment of "Chinese cheap labor." The best evidence of the insincerity of the measure is found in the fact that the three or four members who are loudest in its support are the heaviest employers of Chinese labor in the Province; and that the *Standard*—the Government organ—which warmly supports this Bill—on the 10th day of August, 1875, informed its readers that the white laborers of the Province were idle, drunken, and shiftless vagabonds, and that the Chinamen were the only class to be trusted (See extract in another column.) It is not strange that a paper which three years ago could utter these atrocious sentiments should yesterday beam with satisfaction through a column of editorial rubbish at the introduction of the Bill under discussion. The *Standard* has got its lesson from those whom it serves; but it recites it as usual in a blundering way. It demands the passage of the measure and adds it "felt sure that *The Colonist* would give its undivided support to the Bill." In the very next breath it remarks—"It may be found in Committee that *modifications are desirable* to meet the views of honorable members." Now, it is in an earnest desire to have a measure passed that shall be creditable to the House and beneficial to the country that we pointed out on Sunday the obnoxious clauses in which "modications are desirable," for doing which the organ asserts that we are in the pay of the Chinese companies. We would not for a moment be understood as intimating that the pure and guileless *Standard*, when it denounced white laborers as idle, drunken, shiftless vagabonds, and the moral inferiors of Chinamen, was in the pay of the Chinese companies. Oh! no; but then was an inducement of a pretty solid character, in the form of Government advertisements, that impelled its publisher to "throw off" on his own race. The De Cosmos-Walkem Government favored the employment of Chinamen and paid the *Standard* to denounce white men as idle, drunken, shiftless vagabonds, and the moral inferiors of the Chinese!

In discussing the Bill what "modifications" are proposed by the *Standard?* None: as on most subjects, the paper is devoid of a practical idea on this subject. The House should see if from the mass of nonsense and bad law that the Bill comprises there cannot be extracted at least a single grain of common sense. The Bill should be taken up in committee, all but the title cut out, and a new edifice reared on the ruins. The Bill as it now stands is regarded by those at whose instance it has been introduced as a "huge joke," and Mr. WALKEM knows as well as any one else that it will be disallowed at Ottawa. It was introduced with no other object than to hoodwink and deceive workingmen and to insure its disallowance. Hence we find it going to the extreme of absurdity. If the House will not step in and save the Bill by inserting sensible and reasonable amendments it will certainly fail.

TAX ON INSURANCE COMPANIES.

HON. MR. WALKEM yesterday laid on the table of the House a Bill to place an annual tax of $100 on all insurance companies represented in the Province, and one-tenth of one per cent. on the amount insured by them. The one-tenth of one per cent. would be paid by the insurer; this, taken in connection with the tax of one-eighth of one per cent. levied in this Municipality, and both added to the insurance rates now paid, would make it a serious matter to insure any description of property. We have no desire to throw any obstacle in the way of the Government raising a revenue, but if we are not mistaken a decision in the suit of certain insurance companies in the Province of Quebec has just been decided by the Privy Council in favor of the companies. The Province of Quebec taxed insurance companies. The companies demurred. The case went to the Supreme Court of the Dominion, which body decided against the right of the Province to tax the companies. The Province carried the case before the Privy Council, with the result as above stated, and the Province will have to refund to the companies $200,000 illegally collected. Proceedings were taken under clause 91, sub-section 2, of the British North American Act, which reserves to the Dominion Government the right to regulate trade and commerce. We would draw the attention of the Attorney-General to this case, as we believe the Act which has been set aside was similar in tendency to the one introduced yesterday, and if so it is clear that even the one-eighth of one per cent. Municipal tax cannot be imposed.

THE CHAMPION OF THE CHINESE.

In 1875, when the DeCosmos Walkem Government held office and the public money was being squandered upon the construction of roads by Chinese labor; when *The Colonist* and the then Opposition in the House were laboring against heavy odds to show the Government that they were encouraging an undesirable class of immigrants to the Province which would eventually monopolize the labor market, the *Standard*—which to-day throws itself into the breach as the champion of the contemptible legislative swindle known as the Chinese Tax Bill, used the following language:

"We know of one contractor on a section of the Westminster-Yale wagon road, who made up his mind to employ none but white men on his job, and accordingly engaged the services of all the men he required in this city and paid their fare from here to New Westminster. They went to work, and all went well enough till the first pay day, but no sooner did they get their money than they marched off to New Westminster—this was on Saturday evening—and the following Monday more than one-half of them were absent from duty, drinking and carousing in the city, and his work was nearly suspended in consequence. As he was under bonds to have his contract completed by a certain date, he was compelled to come down again to Victoria for more help, and this time employed a number of Chinamen, who worked faithfully and well until his contract was completed. Had it not been for the Chinamen he assured us it would have been impossible for him to have completed his contract in the time specified, and he would have been a heavy loser by the transaction. Now, these are the kind of men *The Colonist* would have protected by exceptional legislation from fair competition with Chinamen." *Standard*, August 16, 1875.

We desire the working classes of British Columbia to read the above extract and then say how much reliance they are prepared to place on the friendly offices of the *Standard* and a Government whose acknowledged organ, the *Standard*.

Interior Progress.

[Letter from an Occasional Correspondent.]

EDITOR COLONIST:—According to promise I write you a few lines giving items from the interior. The temporary check to quartz development and the contradictory accounts received from Cariboo cause me to meet many a long face during my travels, so many of the farming community have enlarged their business to meet the increased demand anticipated through an influx of population to Cariboo. Along the wagon-road the crops look pretty good; but I must confess that the country does not seem to me very suitable for agriculture, the patches of farming land being limited and scattered, which I suppose makes it better for those who have been lucky enough to secure good land.

AT CACHE CREEK,

(where I left the main road for Kamloops) I found Mr. J. Newland as genial and courteous as ever, making one feel perfectly at home in his well-conducted hotel. After leaving the few good farms in the vicinity of and irrigated by Cache Creek, the country appears an arid waste (although I believe it supports quite a number of cattle) until you reach the crossing of the Thompson River at Savona Ferry. The foot of Kamloops Lake from there to Kamloops is a rolling bunch-grass country carrying large bands of cattle. At

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Is in process of construction, and a new steamboat built by Messrs. Mara & Wilson for the Spelamacheen and Okanagon trade lies here awaiting her machinery. I passed several nice places on my way up the South Thompson valley; but it appears that the owners only grow a small amount of grain for their own consumption, stock-raising being their principal business. At Grand Prairie Messrs. Kirkpatrick & Pringle have a very fine farm with a large tract of land under cultivation. Mr. Ingram also has a nice place on the prairie; but does not grow much grain, his business being stock-raising. From Grand Prairie to Salmon River Valley is timbered land; thence the trail passes through the beautiful bunch-grass valley to Spillamacheen. There are two or three nice farms here, and it is here, at

GRAFTON FARM,

By the side of a little lake swarming with trout, and surrounded by beautiful park-like grounds, that Mr. Steele has taken up his abode with his thoroughbred stock consisting of cattle, sheep and hogs, which he imported direct from Canada. Leaving Mr. Steele's and passing through a belt of open timber I came into the

SPELLAMACHEEN VALLEY

Which I consider the garden of British Columbia. The lucky owners of land here possess the great advantage of being able to raise large crops without irrigation, and have fine water carriage for their produce. I believe all the open land is taken up; but there is a large extent of excellent timbered land which will carry a considerable population some day. The farmers are enterprising men and use a great amount of labor-saving machinery. The road passes by one fence which must be six or seven miles long, inclosing beautiful waving fields of grain the whole distance. Mr. Wichers has very nearly 200 acres under cultivation and his crop throughout can be classed No. 1. Messrs. Bennett & Lumby, whose farm adjoins his, have probably the largest area under cultivation in British Columbia, about 330 acres of grain, which, like all the rest in the valley, looks splendid. Mr. Bennett is one of the members returned to represent the district in the B. C. Legislature, and is very popular. Mr. Fortune, the pioneer settler in this part of the country, is beautifully located on the banks of the Spellamacheen and has about 200 acres under crop. There are many other large farms which I was unable to see. The average yield of the grain all through for last year (as threshed by Mr. Vance's steam thresher) was something over 2200 lbs. to the acre. If there is only a sufficient demand for the produce the farmers are bound to become wealthy. Messrs. Swelwell & Lambly are erecting a frame storehouse on the river at the steamboat landing. I expect a macadamized road from here to the head of Okanagon Lake about 15 miles in length will shortly be a necessity as there will be a great amount of teaming to be done, it being the outlet for the whole of the Okanagon country. Besides, the Cherry Creek silver mines will have to get their supplies and machinery through this way. I hear from Mr. Torrence's report that the silver lead as developed is immensely rich. I must now conclude. In my next I shall give you some account of the fine farming and grazing lands of Okanagon and Nicola.

EN ROUTE.

The Backwoodsman.

EDITOR COLONIST:—A letter signed "V" appears in the *Standard* this morning. The writer says: "I will, with your permission, Mr. Editor, endeavor to describe this would be critic." Then follows no description of the critic, but a very poor attack on his shirt.

"V" may be the person who has been employed by the Attorney-General to draw up the Chinese Tax Bill. The language in the letter and the language in the bill are well matched. It is impossible to understand either. The editor of the *Standard* himself may be the author. To his obtuse-angled intellect common sense and nonsense are just the same. The gabble of a goose contains as much sense as the leading article published in that journal this morning. Leading articles! The Lord save us. I would not be surprised to hear that feathers, fur, or tails grow on the people who read them.

There is another party well known in the backwoods as "The Spider." He may be the author and he may feel offended because I said *"the spider is full of human nature."* This expression had reference to the spider who weaves a web in the grass, and not to him. But the author may be a tailor who wishes to secure a good customer for a new coat. I say to him send your address to *The Colonist* office. You are "a smart man," though you murder the Queen's English. I may purchase a coat, but I am not ashamed of the shirt. I would be ashamed of ignorance, low knavery or lies. In a tattered shirt we sometimes see a good man. It would be no disgrace to

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Land and Works Dept.,
Victoria, July 22, 1878. jy23dw

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BIRTHS.

On Monday, August 5th, at Victoria, V. I., the wife of F. Geo. Vernon, Esq., of a daughter.

MARRIED.

In this city, on the 5th inst., at St. John's Church, by the Rev. P Jenns, Andrew, eldest son of David Rome, Heath Bank, Derbyshire, to Kate Wallace, youngest daughter of the late Richard Jones, of Halifax, N. S.

DEATHS.

At New Westminster, August 3d, George Herbert, eldest son of the late Rev. James Reynard, aged eighteen years and seven months.

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THIRD PROVINCIAL LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

FIRST SESSION.

MONDAY, August 5th.

Mr. Speaker took the chair at 2 p. m.

DRY DOCK.

Mr. Helgesen moved for a return of all correspondence between the Dominion and Provincial Governments, on the subject of the graving dock, since the resignation of the late Government.

The mover said that he regretted the cofferdam had for several years been a sham and a disgrace not only to Esquimalt, but to the whole of the Province. He asked for information on the subject in order that the country might really know how the matter stood. The Walkem Government when previously in power had commenced the dock in good faith and he hoped now they had regained office they would see that it was properly completed.

Mr. Mara—Who bought the cement? (Laughter.)

The motion to include correspondence with the Elliott Government passed.

NEW BILLS.

Messages were then read from his honor the Lieut. Governor transmitting for the consideration of the House Acts relating to insurance companies and municipal taxation of barristers.

It was ordered that the messages be taken into consideration to-morrow.

THE CHINESE PROBLEM.

The House then went into committee of the whole to consider his honor's message transmitting the Chinese taxation bill, Mr. E. Brown in the chair.

Hon. Mr. Walkem said that it was quite possible the bill might be objected to at Ottawa, on the grounds of class legislation as the Drummers' Act had been. It was the duty of the committee, however, to submit a draft bill for the consideration of the House which would be dealt with clause by clause. The hon. gentleman alluded to the efforts the State of California has of late years made not only to restrict Chinese immigration but to drive out those Mongolians who had already gained a foot-hold. He pointed out the difficulty to convince the people of the Eastern states that Chinese competition is as injurious as it really is, and expressed his opinion that the Chinese are not only an undesirable class of immigration, except for the most menial positions, but that in the course of time they will so degrade the laboring classes that it will be impossible for white men to compete with them. With respect to the clause providing for the seizure of goods for the payment of the tax proposed by the bill placed before the committee he would only state that it was an exact transcript of the Provincial assessment Act. He dilated on the great difficulty tax collectors have in ascertaining the actual owners of Chinese property, both real and personal, and stated that from a want of knowledge of their language it was literally impossible to find out in any degree of correctness what they were really worth. Alluding to the Chinese as miners, he said they evaded the licenses paid by white men and as for the expense they incurred under the head of administration of justice it was well known that the nine out of ten cases of a criminal nature pertained to Chinamen.

Mr. Smithe said there were few who would deny that the Chinese question is one that ought to be dealt with and was of the greatest importance; but he could not compliment the leader of the Government on the bill he had placed before the committee. He agreed with a great deal of what had been said with reference to the Chinese evading taxation; but he would add that much of the evasion resulted from the imperfection of the Acts under which the tax collectors were acting. Those Acts, however, could be amended so as to do away with a great deal of the difficulty now experienced. The evasion of the school tax might have been overcome without introducing a bill of the nature now before the committee which seemed to be not intended to amend the method of collecting real and personal taxes, but to drive the Chinamen from the country He regretted that the Government had evinced incapability of dealing with a momentous question and had, to use a vulgar expression, "gone at it like a bull at a gate." It was the duty of the committee in remedying any evil to take due precautions that in doing so they did not create even a greater one. His individual opinion was that no advantage whatever was gained from the Chinamen as gold-seekers, and there could be no doubt that as long as they continued to follow gold mining pursuits there would be an outflow of money to Asiatic shores. With reference, however, to manufacturing industries, he inclined to the opinion that if the Chinese were altogether excluded from the country it would be found that several infant enterprises would be severely crippled. He felt assured that it would result in the stoppage of at least two-thirds of the Fraser River fisheries, and if home industries were of necessity suspended it followed, as a natural consequence, that there would be a large quantity of money sent to neighboring states to feed the market which was now supplied by provincial enterprise. He thought, therefore, that if the bill were permitted to pass in its present form a much larger stream of wealth would be caused to flow from the country than at present. The measure appeared to have been framed in a very slipshod and haphazard manner and it appeared to him that it was the duty of the Government to have brought down a bill something approaching the form in which it was intended it should pass. He said he thought that a bill should have been introduced to prevent the further immigration of Chinese rather than to drive those at present here from our shores. The leader of the Government knew very well that the present measure was in reality so much buncombe, introduced merely to curry popular favor and it was well known that the bill just as soon as it reached Ottawa would be disallowed. He did not think the Government were sincere, but had introduced the bill to get out of a difficulty caused by their electioneering pledges. As however he deemed the Chinese question one that should at once be dealt with he did not intend to oppose the recommending of the bill; but hoped that he would be able to introduce amendments which would place it on a much more satisfactory basis. He feared that if the bill was the "satisfactory solution" of the problem alluded to in the Lieut.-Governor's speech, the Government had greatly mistaken the nature of their task.

Mr. J. W. Williams followed, making a personal attack on the hon. member for Cowichan, which drew forth loud cries of "Shame" and "Order."

Mr. Evans expressed his opinion that it would be quite possible to carry on home industries and the fisheries without the employment of Chinamen. He thought the time had arrived when the Chinese should be driven from the country, and if justice was done to the country at Ottawa the bill before the committee would not be disallowed. The evil had to be remedied or the white man would be driven from the labor market. He was aware that certain individuals both at the mines and in the city of Victoria benefitted from the employment of Chinese, but that was no reason why the system should be permitted to the detriment of the white laboring class.

Mr. Vernon said it was admitted on all sides that the Chinese evil was one that should at once be dealt with, but the present bill appeared to him to be a perfect comedy. He could not see why the Government had stopped short at $60. Why had they not made it a round hundred at once. Why did they not carry their moderation to its climax. The hon. gentleman quoted voluminously from statistics and gave it as his opinion that there are about 3,000 Chinamen in the country, from whom, were the present bill thoroughly carried out, a revenue of $180,000 would be derived, whereas from all white population only some $124,000 would be obtained. This being the case he supposed the Government would abolish the road tolls and would construct innumerable new roads. In fact they would have so much money that they would not know what to do with it. He failed to see how, if the Government could not collect a school tax of $2 per head, they were going to collect $60 per head. He believed that the Government would have been much wiser had they followed the example set by Queensland and he would venture to state that the Lieut.-Governor would disallow the present measure. It was perfectly absurd to ask sensible men to pass it in its present form. He supposed, however, that pressure had been brought to bear on the Government, and they felt that they were obliged to introduce a measure, knowing well themselves that it would be disallowed.

Mr. Drummond was surprised that the measure had been attacked by hon. members of the Opposition, because on many occasions they had expressed themselves in favor of restricting the Chinese evil. The Chinamen were of no value to the country and he ridiculed the idea of supporting home industries by means of Mongolian labor. He thought the bill was in the main a very good one, but no doubt it would be amended and modified in committee. The time had arrived when something must be done to check the flood of Chinese immigration and prevent those at present in the country from eating the white men out of house and home. He had employed Chinamen himself, but he had come to the conclusion that one white man in any class of labor was worth twenty Chinamen. He hoped the bill would pass.

Mr. Mara said the leader of the Government in introducing the bill had expressed grave doubts as to its constitutionality and had almost intimated that it would be disallowed at Ottawa. He had in fact spoken as if he was ashamed of the bill (hear, hear), knowing as a lawyer that it would never be assented to. Why, he would ask, was the bill introduced with such a knowledge? He could only suppose that pressure had been brought to bear on the Government and that they introduced the bill on that account. In its present shape the measure meant additional taxation on the white man; it meant a suspension of many local industries and for some time to come a closing of nearly every fishery on Fraser river. Hon. members of the Opposition were in favor of restricting Chinese immigration; but they did not desire to pass a measure such as the present, which it was very well known would not be assented to. To do so would be equivalent to an evasion of the question. They were prepared to give a suitable bill their hearty support. (Hear, hear.)

Mr. Helgesen spoke in favor of the bill and hoped it would pass without material alteration.

Hon. Mr. Beaven expressed his surprise at the stand taken by the Opposition. If the bill were sure to be disallowed how was it possible that it would result in the closing of local industries and Fraser River fisheries? The hon. member for Yale (Mr. Vernon) appeared to be afraid that the Government would get too much revenue from the operation of the bill, but he thought that gentleman in estimating the income to be derived from local sources had made a miscalculation. With reference to the proposal to pass the Queensland bill he would remind the House that even if they were not competent to pass it the Dominion Government was, making it applicable especially to British Columbia. It should also be remembered that most of the Chinese on this coast were slaves, and was it not against the laws of Great Britain that slavery should exist in any shape in any of her possessions? There were many ways in which those objectionable people, the Chinamen, could be dealt with and he hoped the bill would be at once reported to the House and subsequently amended if found necessary.

Hon. Mr. Walkem replied to the remarks made by members of the Opposition and complimented them on the vitality they had shown in discussing the question. He ridiculed their argument that if the bill passed it would close the fisheries and intimated that if such were to prove the case it was evidence that the Chinamen actually had possession of that industry. It would be worse than folly to reject the bill merely on the supposition that it might be disallowed at Ottawa. He was not, of course, prepared to say whether it would or would not be, but it was, at least, the duty of the House to make an earnest effort to restrict and remedy an existing evil.

Mr. Ash said the House had no power to deal with the matter and that it would have been just as sensible to have introduced a bill to provide for the better collection of taxes from Canadians. The hon. introducer himself had expressed a doubt as to the bill being allowed, but if it actually became law it would be instrumental in making a large number of Mongolian slaves for the Government. Chinamen would be set to work on the roads in default of paying their taxes; they would be charged for their keep, for which they could not pay, and they would again be put to work and so on for ever. He considered the measure a most damaging one; a disgrace if it passed, not only to the Government, but to the country at large. He could not conceive how any Government could have had the audacity or could have been so lost to their responsibility as to have introduced such a bill, well knowing that it would certainly be disallowed. (Hear, hear.) However desirable it might be to restrict Chinese immigration he was sure the proposed plan was not the one to adopt.

Hon. Mr. Walkem briefly replied and the bill was then recommended to the House and read a first time without division.

CARIBOO ROAD TOLLS.

The House then went into committee to consider his Honor the Lieut.-Governor's message transmitting a bill to amend the "Cariboo Wagon Road Tolls Act, 1876"—Mr. Abrams in the chair.

Hon. Mr. Walkem said he was aware that the bill would be opposed by the representatives from Yale district; but he contended that it was only right that the road toll should be collected at Yale instead of higher up the road.

Mr. Mara said the leader of the Government failed to give any reason why parties living 25 miles above the toll gate should pay as heavy a toll as those who had the use of the entire length of the road and lived at Cariboo. There was nothing just about it. The hon. gentleman narrated the circumstances connected with the abolition and re-imposition of the road tools and said that it was improper that the leader of the Government should pitchfork a bill into the House, ignoring accepted principles, without offering one word of explanation in defence of it. The bill was manifestly unfair to the farmers and consumers who resided on the lower portion of the road for they, using 80 miles of the road, were compelled to pay as much for the use of it as residents of Cariboo and the upper Mainland who used its entire length. He could only come to the conclusion that the Government had introduced the bill with the full determination of punishing the district of Yale for sending three members to oppose their policy. The district by the measure would be compelled to pay more than the equivalent of dual taxation which, in the face of pledges of Victoria members, was anything but an act of good faith. (Hear, hear.)

Mr. Evans spoke in favor of the bill and equal taxation.

Mr. Vernon denied that Cariboo paid more than her fair share of taxation. The district had been exempted from mining property taxation, and if that was not discriminative taxation he did not know what was. He proceeded to quote copiously from figures to show the average *per capita* taxation of the various districts of the Province and said that Yale contributed $36 per head annually to the revenue, but with the proposed measure in force an additional $10 per head would be put on simply because the representatives from the district opposed the Government. (Hear.)

Mr. Wilson spoke in favor of the bill and considered that if anything the people of Yale ought to be glad that a higher tax was not imposed.

The question was then put and the committee reported the bill on a division of 19 to 5.

The bill was then read a first time, second reading on Wednesday next.

RAILWAY.

Mr. Ash moved that a respectful address be presented to His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, requesting that a return be made to the House of all correspondence held between the Provincial and Dominion Governments, during the current year, on the subject of the railway reservation of the East Coast of Vancouver Island.

Seconded by Mr. Abrams and carried.

The House then adjourned till 2 p.m. on Wednesday.

NOTICES OF MOTION.

Mr. Smithe: To move on Wednesday next the following resolution: That in the opinion of this House the Government ought to bring down a bill this session to provide for the imposition of a compulsory mining license of twenty dollars on every Chinese person following the occupation of gold mining in the Province of British Columbia.

Mr. Smithe: To move on Wednesday next that copies of all correspondence, if any, between the Dominion and Provincial Governments relating to the disallowance of the County Courts Act of last session be laid before this House.

QUESTION.

Mr. Harris: On Wednesday next to ask the Provincial Secretary — Have there been any complaints with respect to the management of the lunatic asylum?

IN BRIEF.—One of Porter's buggies was smashed on one of the bridges leading to Esquimalt and damaged to the extent of $70. The driver was pitched out and slightly hurt....The High School, under the new principal, Mr. McLaughlin, was opened yesterday. The boys' and girls' schools will open on Wednesday....Some sacrilegious wretch has stolen the offertory plates from St. John's church.

THE RISE IN RAILROAD FREIGHTS—The President of the Central Pacific Railroad company has addressed a letter to the President of the Union Pacific company, advising a reduction in rates in place of an advance, believing that some other way might be devised to protect the railways against the imposition practiced by shippers.

WORKINGMEN'S PARTY.—Ben. Butler and Dennis Kearney are conferring at Boston relative to the formation of a national workingman's party—Ben. Butler to be the candidate for the presidency at the next election.

THE EUREKA Silver Mining Company of Hope met in this city yesterday to consider a proposition for the sale of their property to a company of California capitalists.

Municipal Council.

SPECIAL SITTING.

MONDAY, Aug. 5.

His Worship the Mayor took the Chair at 7:50 p.m. Present, Couns. Williams, Dalby, Shakespeare, Marvin, Redfern, Turner and Todd.

Coun. Redfern asked that the minutes of the last meeting be read.

Couns. Shakespeare and Dalby objected in that this was a special and not a regular meeting of the Council.

Coun. Redfern read from the rules of order to show that at "all" meetings of the Council the minutes of the previous meeting must first be read.

His Worship ruled that the minutes should be read.

Coun. Williams objected in that he had never heard of such a thing before as reading the minutes at a special meeting.

His Worship held to his first ruling, that the minutes should be read, and said that the present discussion was entirely out of order.

Coun. Williams said that "at all meetings" meant at the meetings held on each Wednesday.

Coun. Shakespeare asked whether the rules of order did not state that at special meetings of the Council no subject shall be considered other than that for which the meeting was called?

Coun. Williams moved that the notices called for go on, and said he would not allow any Councillor to rule the Council, and if the Mayor was to do all the work he did not see the use of the Council attending.

Coun. Redfern explained that the rules distinctly state that at "all" meetings the minutes shall first be read.

His Worship again ruled that the minutes must be read.

Coun. Shakespeare, seconded by Coun. Williams, moved that the minutes be not read.

Coun. Redfern drew the attention of the Mayor to the fact that such a motion was contrary to the rules of order.

Coun. Williams said the motion was in order and said it was a one-sided council, and if the Mayor was opposed to any motion he refused to put it.

His Worship said he had been placed in his chair by the citizens of Victoria to uphold their rights and see that the meetings of the Council were properly carried out. In this case he most certainly considered that the rules of order called for the reading of the minutes. Because an illegal act had been committed for the last five or six years he could not see that he should therefore continue to uphold that illegality. If the majority of the Council objected to his ruling let any two of them appeal against his decision.

The minutes were then read.

Coun. Marvin, seconded by coun. Dalby, moved that the adoption of the minutes be deferred till the next meeting of the Council. Carried.

Coun. Redfern, seconded by coun. Todd, moved that the Council do now go into committee of the whole with coun. Williams in the chair.

After some discussion it was decided to go on with the business for which the meeting had been called.

WATER COMMISSIONER.

Coun. Dalby's motion for the dismissal of the Water Commissioner was read.

His Worship said he must absolutely decline to put this motion. If any of the Council objected, any two of them could appeal against that ruling.

Coun. Shakespeare said they had tried this at the last meeting, but that they had been obliged to withdraw that appeal because His Worship would not put the motion.

His Worship said the reason the motion was withdrawn was because he decided that the appellants could not vote. Whether this was legal or not he was not certain of at the time; but now rather than obstruct the working of the Council he would allow the appellants to vote, and if the majority were opposed to his ruling he would then leave the chair; but he would remind them that he was Councillor as well as Mayor and would therefore take his seat at the Council Board.

Coun. Williams said, no; that would not suit them. His Worship must put the question or resign, and he (Coun. Williams) would sit in his chair for one week to make the Mayor put the motion.

Coun. Dalby said to make this a test question he would resign if the Mayor would and go before the electors.

Coun. Turner said it was absurd to talk in that manner. The people were desirous of obtaining good water and here are some of the Councillors talking of resigning and throwing themself on the electors rather than work like men for the advantage of the city.

Coun. Williams proposed that the Mayor and Councillors should at once hand in their resignations and let the people elect persons who would work for them.

His Worship said he had no intention of resigning until the end of his term; but while he remained in office he would do his utmost for the ratepayers and see that the Council did not throw away their money as was now proposed.

Coun. Todd said he had observed, when this motion was first brought up, the Water Commissioner was accused of not being able to attend to the waterworks; but now they come forward and say that he does not do his surveying, and even then they deny that they bring any charges against him.

Coun. Shakespeare said no charges were brought against the Water Commissioner, but if any were wanted they could prove that he had neglected the water works and had also ordered things and entered into expenses unauthorized by the Council.

His Worship—Will you please put those charges on paper?

Coun. Shakespeare—No; they are not in order.

Coun. Redfern—Then why do you make them?

Coun. Shakespeare—Because they are in order. He considered something ought to be done; if nothing else, stop the ratepayers from drinking this water. [A Councillor — Give them whiskey.] No, I won't drink neither your dirty water nor your dirty whiskey.

Coun. Williams said he would not trust Mr. Gastineau with a Chinaman.

Coun. Turner—No; you are afraid he would get too much work out of him.

Coun. Williams—I consider Mr. Gastineau is not a fit person to take charge of the water works.

Coun. Turner said this question might have been settled a month since had the Council agreed to his idea that Mr. Gastineau should be given an assistant. This he believed would yet be the case. As it now stands the Council refuse to do what Mr. Gastineau advises, refuse to give him any assistance, and yet at the same time lay the whole blame of the bad water on his shoulders. How consistent! The Council are doing their utmost to get rid of Mr. Gastineau, and to accomplish this Couns. Williams, Dalby and Shakespeare are throwing every obstruction in his way.

His Worship asked the clerk to bring him some of the debentures so that he might sign them as there was nothing else to do.

Coun, Williams said no business could be done other than that on the notice.

Coun. Shakespeare here proposed that refreshments be brought in.

Upon which one councillor proposed whisky, another coffee and another cocktails. (To give them an appetite to go on with the business of the city.)

A dead-lock here ensued when Coun. Dalby seconded by Coun. Shakespeare moved that the Council adjourn till Wednesday evening. Carried.

Municipal Police Court.

[Before H. C. Courtney, Esq.]

MONDAY, August 5th.

Peter, a Bella Bella Indian, on remand charged with having murdered one John Copel, about 40 miles from Bella Bella in 1876.

James Francis Armstrong being sworn, said that he had been acquainted with John Copel some ten years. In May, 1876, witness, John Copel and the prisoner Peter went up to Bella Bella in the steamer Otter; arriving there they met a Kittinat and also a Haihai canoe; they started in these canoes to go to Kittinat. After being at Kittinat a short time Peter left, but before going told John Copel that if he did not like the place he could go down to Victoria with him; after about six weeks Copel bought a canoe for two blankets and left for Victoria; he had then in his possession $100 from the witness, 18 or 20 marten and 20 mink skins; also a trunk in which there was a quantity of clothing, a gold watch and chain, a silver watch, several valuable gold rings, an Italian shaving box with razors, &c., complete; he also had a gold specimen worth about $8 made into a scarf pin. Copel left Kittinat alone in the canoe for Bella Bella; when near Millbank Sound at Chinahat he met a canoe with two Indians who were hunting; he asked them whether they had seen Peter as he had promised to go down to Victoria with him. The Indians found Peter and sent him after John Copel; this was the last time he was seen alive.

J. Montobio testified to purchasing the gold specimen from Peter about July, 1876; he said he got the specimen from an Indian from the Stickeen; paid $8 for the specimen.

Angelo Pompon, being sworn through an interpreter, identified the gold specimen pin produced as one worn by John Copel.

Johnny Nash, a Kittinat Indian, testified to seeing Peter in possession of a shaving-box and saw him lose it at cards.

The case was then remanded for one week.

Cricket.

Latest English papers give an account of an extraordinary match which took place recently between Glasgow and Edinburgh in which the eleven representing the latter city amassed the tremendous total of 692; only one man failing to score double figures and only one being bowled out. Mr. J. M. Cotterill put together the large number of 271, and several others scored over 70 each. Cambridge won the inter-university match with great ease, scoring 168 and 229 against Oxford's 127 and 32. Mr. A. G. Steel's bowling for the light blues proved altogether too much for the Oxonians. The Australians have played an eighteen of Hunslet and district, the match resulting in a draw, greatly in favor of the colonists; but the Yorkshire eleven defeated them by nine wickets. In the match between the North and South the latter won by ten wickets.

ACCIDENT.—On Thursday last Mr. K. McKenzie, of the dockyard, Esquimalt, while riding home along the old road, was thrown violently from his horse and very severely cut about the back of the head and face. Mr. McKenzie was found lying senseless in a pool of blood by two bluejackets and Mr. Innes, jr., who at once rode into town and summoned Dr. Helmcken who drove out and sewed up the wounds on the head and pronounced them serious though not dangerous. The injured gentleman was then conveyed to his residence near Swan Lake, where he is fast recovering from the accident.

ODD FELLOWS' EXCURSION.—The steamer Isabel will leave Engelhardt & Co's wharf this morning at nine o'clock with a large number of excursionists, consisting of Odd Fellows, their families and friends, for Pedder Bay. If the weather be favorable a very enjoyable trip may be expected as no pains have been spared by the committee of management to render it such. A brass band will be on board the steamer and during the trip a tombola with many handsome, useful and valuable prizes for ladies will be drawn. Full details as to price of tickets will be found in our advertising columns.

SAILING MATCH.—A race between several well-known sailing boats took place yesterday, the course being from James Bay bridge around the bell buoy and back. The following competed: Photographer, Capt. T. Jones; Walker Clark, Capt. Colvin; brig Sheet Anchor's boat, Capt. Jacobson; boat from H. M. S. Turquoise, Capt. Alfred. At the hour appointed for the start the wind that prevailed early in the day had almost entirely died away, the harbor being as smooth as a duck pond, the race was therefore somewhat protracted and uninteresting. The Photographer took the lead from the first and holding it won the race with comparative ease; the other boats coming in in the order given above. The sweepstakes was worth about $40.

SCHOONER BONANZA.—Mr. R. Brodrick has purchased the one-third interest in the schooner Bonanza belonging to Capt. Raymur. This is one of the staunchest vessels on the coast, having cost some $10,000 in building. She is now engaged in transporting the 5,000 tons of steel rails to New Westminster, for which contract she will receive in the neighborhood of $10,000.

THE steamer Wilson G. Hunt, Capt. J. Irving, left at 3 p.m. yesterday for New Westminster with a good frieght and the following passengers: Miss Derdinger, Miss Bloomingdale, Miss Oppenheimer, N. Nelson, S. M. Nelson, E. Dickinson, G. A. Sargison, G. Oppenheimer, E. Derdinger and several others.

WARNING.—A certain young scapegrace is in the habit of going into the new Masonic Hall now in process of construction after the workmen have left and scribbling offensive remarks over the windows. He is hereby warned that he is known and will be arrested if he continues to do so.

NAVAL.—H. M. S. Opal, Captain F. C. B. Robinson, will leave Esquimalt on the 13th inst. for the South. Lieutenant G. V. Hegan, late of H.M.S. Daring on this station, has been appointed to H. M. S. Iron Duke.

HIS HONOR the Lieut.-Governor leaves this morning for Comox.

THE MAIL STEAMER ISABEL, Captain Morrison, arrived from Sound ports with the mails at four o'clock yesterday afternoon.

THE INDIAN WAR.—The latest reports received are to the effect that Gen. Howard was hotly pursuing the Indians, who have divided into small parties.

FOR NANAIMO.—The steamer Beaver left last night with the ship Marianne Nottlebohm from San Francisco in tow for Nanaimo to load coal.

DELAYED DISPATCHES.

EUROPE.

LONDON, August 1.—Socialists have been elected at Glauchan and some other manufacturing towns. The Conservatives and Liberals will vote in the House against the Socialists. The Socialists have lost some seats, but polled more votes than ever,

ROME Aug. 1.—Cardinal Franchi, pontifical Secretary of State, died at 1 o,clock this morning.

LONDON, Aug. 1.—A dias has been erected on the southern side of Guildhall, upon which stands a canopied throne. Here on Saturday will be seated the Lord Mayor, plenipotentaries and the chief officers of the corporation. There will be accommodation for 1,700 persons including 400 members of Parliament. In the fore court of Guildhall a spacious pavillion is being erected to seat 1,200 persons, another 600 being accommodated in the library. None of these can see the ceremony, but can view the guests as they arrive. Beaconsfield and Salisbury are expected at Guildhall before 2, soon after which the ceremony of the presentation of the freedom of the city will be given. The guests will have the first welcome at the extreme boundary of the city. Temple bar is to be in some sense reconstructed for the occasion. One side remains, and at the other a wooden model of a demolished wall has been erected to be spanned by a banner inscribed, "Peace with Honor." After the ceremony at Guildhall, Beaconsfield and Lord Salisbury will attend the lord mayor's ministerial banquet.

LONDON, Aug. 1.—In the house of lords to-day Lord Carnarvon, attacking Lord Beaconsfield, asked an explanation of the latter's remarks regarding the former's retirement from the cabinet. He said if Lord Beaconsfield meant to say that he (Carnarvon) at any moment of difficulty and danger flinched from what he had pledged himself to do, he must absolutely deny such statement.

BERLIN, Aug. 1.—Count Bismarck, son of the chancellor and candidate for parliament, has been defeated at Lunenburg.

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JOHN GRAHAM,
Victoria, August 3, 1878. MANAGER. au4

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WM. W. DODD, Secretary.

Stanley, July 27th, 1878. au4dw

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H. E. Croasdaile	6 25

Now, unless this liability be discharged within Thirty (30) days from the date of this advertisement, proceedings will be taken for the recovery of the amount, under the Act governing the Company before Incorporation.

The attention of persons holding unrecorded Bills of Sale of interests, or fractions of an interest, in the Company is respectfully directed to Clause 7, Gold Mining Amendment Act, A. D. 1872.

By order of the Trustees.

jy12 CHARLES WILSON, Secty.

ENTERPRISE GOLD & SILVER MINING CO. (LIMITED)

A SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING OF THE Shareholders of the Enterprise Gold and Silver Mining Company (Limited) will be held at the rooms of the B. Col. Stock Board, on Tuesday the 20th August, at 2 o'clock p. m.

The following business will come up for discussion: First—Consideration of assistance to the Cariboo Quartz Co. in sinking a shaft on the Bonanza lode. Second—The issuing of certificates to Promoters; also, the continuation of corporate existence of the Enterprise Company under the Companies Act of 1878.

jy11 D. GUTMANN, Secretary.

BRITISH COLUMBIA MILLING & MINING COMPANY (LIMITED.)

NOTICE.

THE SECOND ASSESSMENT OF TEN CENTS per share, levied 20th June, 1878, and payable at the Company's office in Victoria, or to Charles Wilson, Agent at Barkerville, will be delinquent on Tuesday, 9th July next. By order.

G. A. SARGISON, Secty.

Victoria, 20th June, 1878. je20

NOTICE.

PROSERPINE GOLD & SILVER MINING CO., LIMITED

ALL PERSONS HOLDING RECORDED BILLS Bills of Sale for feet in this Company's claims will, on presenting and surrendering the same to the Secretary of the Company, receive Certificates of Shares in lieu thereof.

By order. CHARLES WILSON, Secty.

Barkerville, July 22, 1878. jy23dw1m

BRITISH COLUMBIA MILLING & MINING CO., LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN EXTRAordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the British Columbia Milling and Mining Company (Limited) will be held at the Rooms of the British Columbia Mining Stock Board, on

FRIDAY, THE 23D DAY OF AUGUST, A. D. 1878,

at ONE o'clock p. m., to take into consideration the following matters, viz:—

(1.) The Report of the Board of Directors and the Financial Statement of the Secretary.

(2.) The question of co-operation with other companies in prospecting.

(3.) An Amendment of Section 88 of the Articles of Association, with a view to reduce the rate at which the Company's Stock may be sold.

(4.) The question of carrying on the works of the Company; and such other matters and things as may then and there be submitted.

Dated at Victoria, the Fifteenth July, 1878.

By order of the Board of Directors,

G. A. SARGISON, Secretary.

N. B.—Distant Shareholders will please transmit their proxies at an early day to the Secretary.

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BRITISH COLUMBIA MILLING AND MINING CO., LIMITED.

NOTICE.

ASSESSMENT No. 3 OF TEN CENTS PER SHARE has this day been levied, and will be payable at the Company's office in Victoria, on Saturday, 10th August next, and will be delinquent on that day.

By order of the Directors.

G. A. SARGISON, Secretary.

Victoria, 15th July, 1878. jy17dw

PROSERPINE GOLD & SILVER MINING COMPANY.

A GENERAL MEETING OF THIS COMPANY will be held at Barkerville on Monday, July the 29th, at 7:30 p.m., for the Election of Trustees and the transaction of important business.

By order of the Trustees.

CHARLES WILSON, Secretary.

Barkerville, June 29, 1878. jy7dw

MONTGOMERY QUARTZ CO., OF CHISHOLM CREEK.

THE SEVENTH ASSESSMENT OF TEN CENTS per foot, levied June 19th, is now due and payable to the Secretary at Stanley.

ANDREW FLETCHER, Secty.

Stanley, June 22nd, 1878. jy7dw

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

THAT AT THE ENSUING SESSION OF THE Provincial Legislature the Cariboo Quartz Mining Company, Limited will apply for an Act to enable the Company to separate their location on the Steadman ledge from the other property of the Company so as to form another company in respect of the Steadman location. Such other company to be called the Steadman Company. The shares in the Steadman Company to be offered to the shareholders in the Cariboo Quartz Mining Company in proportion to their shares in that company, and if declined to be disposed of by the Steadman Company for the benefit of the Company.

Barkerville, 18th May, 1878. my23dw

PERSEVERANCE QUARTZ MINING CO., (LIMITED.)

LOCATION OF WORKS, Pomeroy Lode, Conklin Gulch.

ASSESSMENT NO. 2.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT A MEETing of the Trustees of the said Company, held on the 5th of June, 1878, an Assessment of One Cent per Share was levied upon the Capital Stock of said Company, payable on the 15th July, 1878, to Charles Wilson, at the Company's office, Barkerville, B. C. Any Stock upon which said Assessment shall remain unpaid on the 18th July, 1878, shall be deemed delinquent and will be duly advertised for sale at public auction; and, unless payment shall be made before, will be sold on the 3rd day of August, 1878, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale.

CHARLES WILSON,

Secretary Perseverance Quartz Mining Co. (Limited)

je23dw Barkerville, B. C.

CHAS. MORTON, COMMISSION STOCK BROKER

MEMBER B. C. MINING STOCK BOARD,

Has removed his office to Langley Street, opposite Angel Hotel. [illegible]

STAR[illegible]

USE DURYEA'S STARCH—THE BES[illegible] IN THE Market.

For sale to the trade in lots to suit by

ap18 6m F. NEUFELDER & CO.

JAMES SYME, ARCHITECT,

MASONIC BUILDING, GOVERNMENT ST.,

je3 VICTORIA, B. C.

REMOVAL.

MR. JOHN TEAGUE, ARCHITECT

HAS REMOVED HIS OFFICE TO

GOVERNMENT STREET, BELOW FORT,

Opposite the Hook and Ladder House.

JOSEPH KIRKMAN & SON'S PIANOFORTES!

EX RIVER CLYDE.

A SHIPMENT OF THE ABOVE CELEBRATED Instruments now Landing.

STAHLSCHMIDT & WARD,

SOLE AGENTS FOR BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Wharf Street, 15th July, 1878. jy16

RICE & SUGAR.

NOS. 1 AND 2 CHINA RICE,

" " CHINA SUGAR IN MATS,

" " CENTRAL AMERICAN, REFINED, IN KEGS.

CALIFORNIA CIRCLE A. CRUSHED, IN BRLS.

For sale to the trade in lots to suit by

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SHIPS AND STEAMERS.

FOR LONDON DIRECT.

THE FAST SAILING CLIPPER BUILT SHIP

"CHOCORUA,"

C. D. MATTHEWS, Commander.

Will load at the Hudson Bay Co's wharf in Esquimalt harbor for the above port, and having the bulk of her cargo engaged will have immediate dispatch.

This vessel was built in 1875 and is classed in Veritas 3/3 L. 1. 1. for 11 years. Having been specially built for the conveyance of dry cargo, she is well adapted for carrying salmon in cases.

For particulars of freight, &c., apply to

WELCH, RITHET & CO., Agents.

Victoria, B.C., 29th July, 1878. jy30

FOR TACOMA AND PORTS ON PUGET SOUND.

THE STEAMER

OLYMPIA,

500 TONS REGISTER,

CAPTAIN STOTHARD,

For Port Townsend, Port Ludlow, Port Gamble, Seattle and Tacoma. Will leave Victoria every Monday and Thursday at 5 a. m., returning Tuesday and Saturday. jy27tf

THE HUDSON BAY CO.'S STEAMER

OTTER,

CAPTAIN McCULLOCH,

Will leave the H. B. Co.,s wharf for Fort Wrangel and Way Ports,

ON OR ABOUT SATURDAY, 27TH INST.

The Purser must be furnished with an invoice of all goods for Cassiar, otherwise they will be detained at Wrangel.

For particulars as to Freight and Passage apply on board. jy23

FOR CASSIAR AND SITKA MINES

THE MAIL STEAMSHIP

CALIFORNIA,

CHARLES THORN, Master,

Having superior accommodation for passengers, will leave Victoria for Wrangel and Sitka on or about

FRIDAY, AUGUST 2ND, 1878.

Returning, will leave Victoria for Astoria, Portland, (Oregon) on or about the 16th.

For Freight or Passage apply to

J. P. GOODHUE, Agent.

Office at P. McQuade & Sons. jy23

BARK RIVER CLYDE, FROM LIVERPOOL.

NEITHER CAPT. McKINNEY NOR THE undersigned will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the above vessel.

HENRY RHODES & CO.

Victoria, July 15th, 1878. jy16

NOTICE--BARK RIVER CLYDE.

THE BARK RIVER CLYDE, CAPTAIN McKinney, from Liverpool, will commence to discharge freight at the wharf of the undersigned at 8 o'clock on Tuesday morning the 16th inst.

Consignees are requested to call at the office of the agents, pay freight and receive orders for their goods.

All goods left on the wharf after 5 o'clock p. m. of each day will be stored at the risk and expense of the owners.

jy16 HENRY RHODES & CO.

NOTICE.

TO SHIP OWNERS AND CAPTAINS

THE POWERFUL STEAM TUG

BEAVER,

Fitted with two 36-inch Cylinders, having been thoroughly overhauled and fitted with new boilers and other improvements, making her one of the most powerful and economical Tugs on this coast, is now prepared to tow vessels in B. C. waters.

For further information apply on board to Captain J. D. Warren at Dickson-Campbell's wharf.

Or to HENRY SAUNDERS,

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IS OPEN TO ENGAGEMENT ON

EASY TERMS

FOR PROSPECTING, TOURIST OR Picnic Parties to any part of

THE COAST OF VANCOUVER ISLAND OR BRITISH COLUMBIA.

For Terms, &c., apply on board at H. B. Co.'s wharf to

je27 1m WALLACE & COMPTON.

NOTICE.

TO SHIPOWNERS AND CAPTAINS.

THE POWERFUL SCREW STEAM-TUG

"PILOT"

Will Tow Vessels in British Columbia waters at LOWEST RATES.

Apply to the Captain on board, or at the office of

ENGELHARDT & CO., OWNERS,

Wharf street.

Victoria, 21st June, 1878. je22tf

For London Direct.

THE H. B. CO.'S BARK

PRINCESS ROYAL,

CAPT. JAS. ANDERSON,

Will sail for London on or about the 10th July. Has room for a limited quantity of freight

For particulars apply at the

je14 H. B. CO.'S OFFICE.

ALLAN LINE ROYAL MAIL STEAMSHIPS

—FROM—

QUEBEC AND BALTIMORE TO LIVERPOOL, LONDONDERRY AND GLASGOW, WEEKLY.

CABIN, INTERMEDIATE AND STEERAGE AT LOW RATES.

Persons wishing to send for their friends from England or Scotland can purchase Tickets good for one year.

A. A. GREEN,

Agent, Victoria, B. C.

Office—Wells, Fargo & Co. my26 3m

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THE SPLENDID STEAMER

RELIANCE,

Is now making regular semi-weekly trips between the above ports on Fraser River.

LEAVING NEW WESTMINSTER ON WEDNESDAY AND SATURDAY.

For Freight or Passage apply on board. mh14

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FORT STREET, VICTORIA,

FRANK SAUNDERS, PROPRIETOR.

LADIES' AND GENTLEMEN'S SADDLE HORSES, Carriages and double and single Buggies.

Loose Boxes and the best of accommodation for horses boarded by the day, week or month.

MARKET EXCHANGE SALOON

Adjoining the Fashion Livery and Sale Stables.

WINES, LIQUORS AND CIGARS ON APPLIcation at the Bar.

FRANK SAUNDERS, Proprietor.

A FEW GOOD BEDS. je8 3m

ROYAL MAIL STAGE

FOR SAANICH DISTICT.

WILL LEAVE VICTORIA

EVERY WEDNESDAY AND SATURDAY AT 12 M.

Passengers and Parcels called for at Cameron & Ross, Government street; John Boyd's, Johnson street; and Joseph Gosnell's, Douglas street.

je30 H. SIMPSON, Proprietor.

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PLANS AND ESTIMATES OF WORK PREPARed. Lands Surveyed at Reasonable Rates.

ORDERS FROM THE COUNTRY PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO.

OFFICE:—Government Street, (Upstairs) next door to the London House. jy26

MISCELLANEOUS.

NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS!

HENRY SHORT, GUN AND RIFLE MAKER

FORT STREET, OPPOSITE SCOTCH HOUSE,

Has Received from London direct, a Large Assortment of

DOUBLE AND SINGLE BARRELED GUNS

CENTRAL FIRE BREECH LOADERS,

FISHING TACKLE IN GREAT VARIETY.

Pocket and Sporting Cutlery, Powder Flasks, Shot Pouches, Game Bags, Cartridge Belts, Apparatus for Filling Cartridges for Breech-Loaders, and a Full Assortment of Gun Tackle.

GUNS MADE TO ORDER. REPAIRING NEATLY EXECUTED.

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SOUTHEAST CORNER OF GOVERNMENT AND JOHNSON STREETS,

PURVEYORS BY APPOINTMENT TO

THEIR EXCELLENCIES THE EARL AND COUNTESS OF DUFFERIN, AND HIS HONOR THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR.

THE LARGEST AND CHOICEST ASSORTMENT OF

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The same Supplied to Families, Restaurants, Ships and Steamers at the LOWEST POSSIBLE PRICES.

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CAPITAL. - - - £2,000,000.

RISKS ACCEPTED AT CURRENT RATES OF Premium by

G. M. SPROAT,

AGENT FOR BRITISH COLUMBIA,

WHARF STREET, VICTORIA.

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THE SCOTTISH COMMERCIAL

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CAPITAL £2,000,000 STERLING.

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INSURANCES ACCEPTED UNDER ENGLISH OR SAN FRANCISCO CONDITIONS.

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Wharf Street, Victoria. oc17

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FOR INSURING HOUSES AND OTHER BUILdings, Goods, Wards, Merchandise, Manufacturing and Farming Stock, Ships in port, Harbor or Dock, and the Cargoes of such ships; also, Ships building or repairing, Barges or other Vessels, on navigable rivers and canals, and Goods on board such vessels throughout Great Britain and Ireland, and in FOREIGN COUNTRIES, from loss or damage by fire.

SUBSCRIBED AND INVESTED CAPITAL---ONE MILLION SIX HUNDRED THOUSAND POUNDS.

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DAVIES BROS.

HAVE THIS DAY RE-OPENED THE STORE lately occupied by Mr. Bone with a large assortment of

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CONSISTING OF:

HARDWARE, CROCKERY, MEN'S FURNISHING GOODS, FURNITURE, GLASSWARE, PLATEDWARE, JEWELRY, CLOCKS, ETC., ETC., ETC.

Which they will sell CHEAP for CASH.

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A VARIED ASSORTMENT OF

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PEN AND POCKET KNIVES,

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ALSO—AT COST PRICE,

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HIGHEST CASH PRICE PAID FOR

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SUITES OF ROOMS FOR FAMILIES.

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Where may be found a choice

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LUNCHEON FROM 11.30 A.M. TO 2 P.M.

TABLE D'HOTE AT 6 P.M.

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HAVING TAKEN THE ABOVE ESTABLISHment has refitted and refurnished it to meet the largely increasing business of the present time, and is prepared to afford the best accommodation to the travelling public. The cooking arrangements are under the superintendence of a first-class cook, and no efforts will be spared to give a first-class entertainment.

GOOD STABLING.

Cache Creek, May 10th, 1878. my16dw

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STONE YARD, COR. GOVERNMENT & COURTNEY ST.

CEMETERY WORK A SPECIALTY,

MONUMENTS, HEADSTONES, ETC.,

Made of Texada Marble, Sandstone or Granite, equal to Scotch Granite.

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All work done with neatness and dispatch at REASONABLE RATES. au3dw

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VEGETABLES " "

EGGS AND BUTTER,

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All of which will be sold at the Lowest Market Rates.

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A FULL ASSORTMENT OF BRUSHES CONSISTing of the following:—

ROUND PAINT BRUSHES,	ASSORTED SIZES.
FLAT "	"
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SASH TOOLS "	"
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FOR SALE AT LOWEST RATES BY

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REMOVAL!

A. BOSSI & CO.,

FAMILY GROCERS

HAVE REMOVED TO THEIR NEW STORE corner of Yates and Broad streets.

A FULL STOCK OF

GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS

On hand and Delivered to any part of the City.

jy31 1m

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

GENERAL ABSTRACT

Showing the average amount of Liabilities and Assets of the BANK OF BRITISH COLUMBIA within the Province of British Columbia and its Dependencies, taken from the several weekly statements for the Quarter ending 29th June, 1878.

LIABILITIES.

Notes in circulation		$217,082 00
Balances due to other Banks and Branches	8,999 35	
Deposits not bearing Interest	$770,213 79	
Deposits bearing Interest	111,905 66	
		$882,119 45
Total Amount of Liabilities		$1,108,200 80

ASSETS.

Legal Tender Coin in Gold and Silver		$243,611 41
Gold Bullion		11,613 24
Landed and other Property		27,851 33
Balances due from other Banks and Branches situate within the Province	$ 6,546 40	
Balances due from other Banks and Branches situate without the Province	227,886 67	
		234,433 16
All debts due to the Bank within the Province, including Notes, Bills of Exchange, and all Stock and Funded Debts of every description excepting Notes, Bills and Balances due from other Banks & Branches	612,657 00	
Do. without the Province	247,052 02	
		859,740 02
Total Amount of Assets		$1,407,249 16

Amount of Capital Stock paid up at close of the Quarter ending 29th June, 1878 ..... $1,730,000

Rate of last dividend declared to the Shareholders ..... 7 per cent. per annum.

Amount of last dividend declared 60,550

Amount of reserved profit at the time of declaring such dividend 108,230

(Signed) WM. C. WARD, Manager.

(Signed) ISAAC B. FISHER, Act'g Accountant.

VICTORIA, B. C., 15th July, 1878.

I, WILLIAM CURTIS WARD, do hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing statement is a true and faithful account of the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets within the Province of this Bank during the period specified and that the same was made up from the Weekly Statements thereof kept in pursuance of the provisions of "The Banking Act, 1864." WM. C. WARD.

Declared before me at Victoria, B. C., this 15th day of July, 1878.

jy16 R. P. RITHET, J. P.

GENERAL ABSTRACT

SHOWING the average amount of LIABILITIES and ASSETS of the BANK OF BRITISH NORTH AMERICA, within the Province of British Columbia, taken from the usual weekly statements, for the Quarter ending 30th June, 1878.

LIABILITIES.

Notes in Circulation not bearing Interest	$107,075 00	
Balances due to other Banks and Branches	17,201 05	
Deposits ON CALL not bearing interest	93,231 42	
Deposits NOT ON CALL bearing interest	344,458 18	
Total amount of Liabilities		$561,955 65

ASSETS.

Legal Tender Coin in Gold and Silver	$ 82,065 41	
Gold Bullion	7,113 73	
Notes and Cheques of other Banks	8,321 00	
Landed and other Property	18,000 00	
Balances due from other Banks & Branches	251,232 33	
Amount of all other debts due to the Bank	225,354 75	
Total Amount of Assets		$587,838 12

Amount of Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ending 30th June, 1878 ..... $5,000,000

Rate of last Dividend declared to Shareholders ..... 5 per cent per annum.

Amount of last Dividend declared for half year ..... $125,000.

Amount of Reserved Profits at the time of declaring said Dividend $1,058,855

VICTORIA, B. C., 12th July, 1878.

(Signed) JAMES CRAN, Sub. Manager.

(Signed) E. STANGER, Accountant.

I, JAMES CRAN, do hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing Abstract is a true and faithful account of the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets of the above Bank within the Province during the period specified, and that the same was made up from the weekly statements thereof, kept in pursuance of the provisions of the Banking Act, 1864. (Signed) JAMES CRAN.

Declared before me at Victoria, B. C., this 12th day of July, 1878.

jy13 (Signed) A. J. LANGLEY, J. P.

POST OFFICE NOTICE.

ARRIVAL AND CLOSING OF MAILS AT VICTORIA.

SUMMER ARRANGEMENTS FROM 1ST APRIL TO 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1878.

MAILS.	ARRIVE.	CLOSE.
Canada, Great Britain, Europe and U. S., *via* San Francisco.	About the 3d, 13th and 23d of each month.	On the 10th, 20th and 30th of each month at 10 A. M.
Do. *via* Tacoma	Monday and Thursday at 3 P. M.	Monday and Thursday at 6 P. M.
Australia, New Zealand, Sandwich Islands and Fiji Islands.	Irregular dates of arrival.	In time to connect with mail steamer leaving San Francisco every 4th Saturday from April 25th.
China and Japan	Irregular dates of arrival.	In time to connect with mail steamer leaving San Francisco on 1st of each month.
Mexico, Central America, and South Pacific coast	Irregular dates of arrival.	On the 10th, 20th and 30th of each month at 10 A.M.
New Westminster and Burrard Inlet.	Wednesday and Saturday at 3 P.M.	Monday and Thursday at 6 P. M.
Barkerville, and Intermediate offices.	Saturday at 3 P.M.	Thursday at 6 P. M.
Nanaimo and Intermediate offices.	Thursday at 5 P.M.	Monday at 6 P. M.
Comox and Intermediate offices.	Every alternate Friday at 5 P.M.	Every alternate Monday at 6 P.M.
Esquimalt	Daily at 10 A.M. and 2 P.M.	Daily at 11.30 A.M. and 4.30 P.M.
Metchosin	Monday at 1 P.M.	Tuesday at 12 noon.
Saanich	Wednesday at 9 A.M.	Wednesday at 12 noon.
Sooke	Monday at 3 P.M.	Tuesday at 9 A.M.

Letters for Registration must be posted half an hour before closing of each mail.

MONEY ORDERS

Payable at Money Order Offices throughout the Dominion, Great Britain and Ireland, Newfoundland and the United States, and at the offices at Barkerville, Clinton, Nanaimo, New Westminster and Yale, in this Province, can be obtained at this office.

OFFICE HOURS—From 9 A.M. to 6 P.M.

FOR MONEY ORDERS—From 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.; on Saturdays from 9 A.M. to 12 noon.

R. WALLACE, POST OFFICE INSPECTOR.

POST OFFICE, VICTORIA, 1st April, 1876. my5

In consequence of spurious imitations of

LEA AND PERRINS' SAUCE,

which are calculated to deceive the Public, Lea and Perrins have adopted A NEW LABEL, bearing their Signature, thus,

Lea & Perrins

which is placed on every bottle of WORCESTERSHIRE SAUCE, and without which none is genuine.

Ask for LEA & PERRINS' Sauce, and see Name on Wrapper, Label, Bottle and Stopper. Wholesale and for Export by the Proprietors, Worcester; Crosse and Blackwell, London, &c., &c.; and by Grocers and Oilmen throughout the World.

DINNEFORD'S FLUID MAGNESIA

THE BEST REMEDY FOR ACIDITY OF THE STOMACH, HEARTBURN, HEADACHE, GOUT AND INDIGESTION.

THE SAFEST MILD APERIENT FOR DELICATE CONSTITUTIONS, LADIES, CHILDREN AND INFANTS, AND FOR REGULAR USE IN WARM CLIMATES.

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